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Dear Dr. Henney,

I am writing to you concerning Docket Number 00P-1211/CP1. I believe that genetically engineered food ingredients or crops should not be allowed on the market unless:

- 1) Independent safety testing demonstrates they have no harmful effects on human health or the environment,
- 2) They are labeled to ensure the consumer's right-to-know, and
- 3) The biotechnology corporations that manufacture them are held responsible for any harm.

I ask that the FDA's current policies be changed, and I support the points in Docket #00P-1211/CP1.

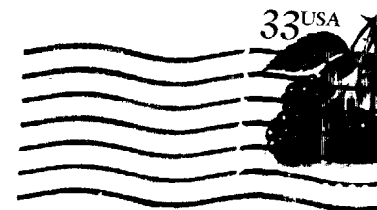
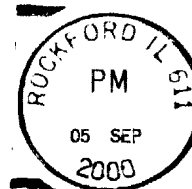
I personally focus on purchasing organic and non-GMO foods for my family whenever available and am a member of a local Community Supported Agriculture farm that produces organic herbs and vegetables. My husband is a butterfly enthusiast since childhood and regularly inspects the milkweed plants in our area for monarch butterfly larvae and caterpillars. He has observed a significant reduction in monarch larvae, caterpillars and adult butterflies in recent years and significantly this year. The area that we live in is predominantly agricultural, and the primary crops are corn and soybean. We hope that you recognize that we are very concerned about genetically engineered foods and their impact on human and environmental health. Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,



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